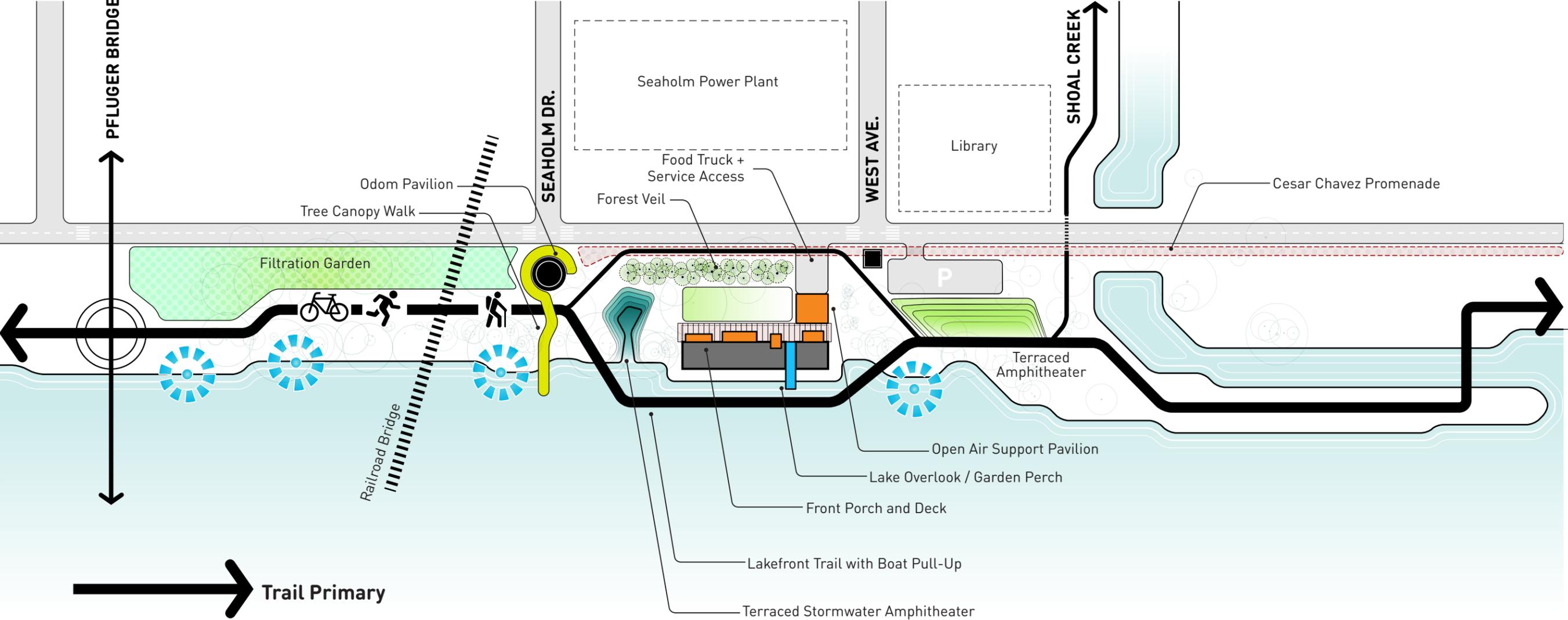


Preferred Concept



Trail Primary

Trail Secondary

Water Access Points

New Support Buildings
Restrooms / Back of House

* Pavilion or support structures to include interpretation and visitor information

Noise from Cesar Chavez is reduced with a dense planting of trees. The Porch Yard provides a large open space for gathering and events.



The Amenity Porch wraps around the Intake Building. In between, a perch leads people to views of the lake.





Facing the Garden Yard, the open Front Patio allows people to sit and relax and look back on the city. The Garden Plaza hosts various civic events and programs with the support of the Pavilion.

The Trail runs along the water's edge to provide an up-close experience of Lady Bird Lake. The water's edge becomes a tranquil space to sit and look out on the lake.





WATER ACCESS POINT

Recognizing Trail users' desire to engage the waterfront, the provision of designated access points in turn protects adjacent native habitat. Hardscape improvements provide wayfinding, reduce trail erosion, and celebrate the path of water. Small docks can also offer boat tie-offs, allowing these nodes to become multimodal in nature.



DRY AMPHITHEATER

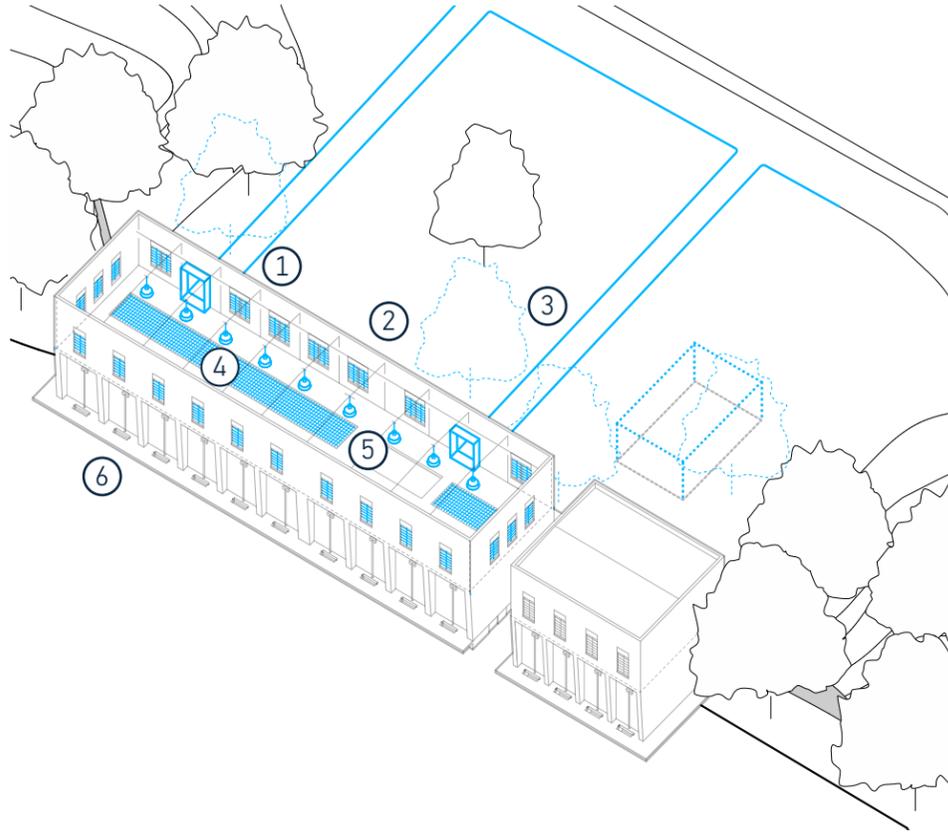
Recirculating lake water through a new cascading water feature brings the cooling properties of wetland habitat and riparian plantings to the site. Capitalizing on natural topography, built terraces provide passive seating, a makeshift performance stage, or an outdoor classroom environment.



TRAIL AT ODOM PAVILION

Natural drainage—normally hard-piped straight out to the lake—is allowed to flow across the site, slowing runoff, trapping pollutants, and creating ecological benefits. Bridging over these ephemeral flows protects the trail from erosion. In the background, the Odom Pavilion is reimagined as an accessible and active amenity to the Trail.

PHASE I

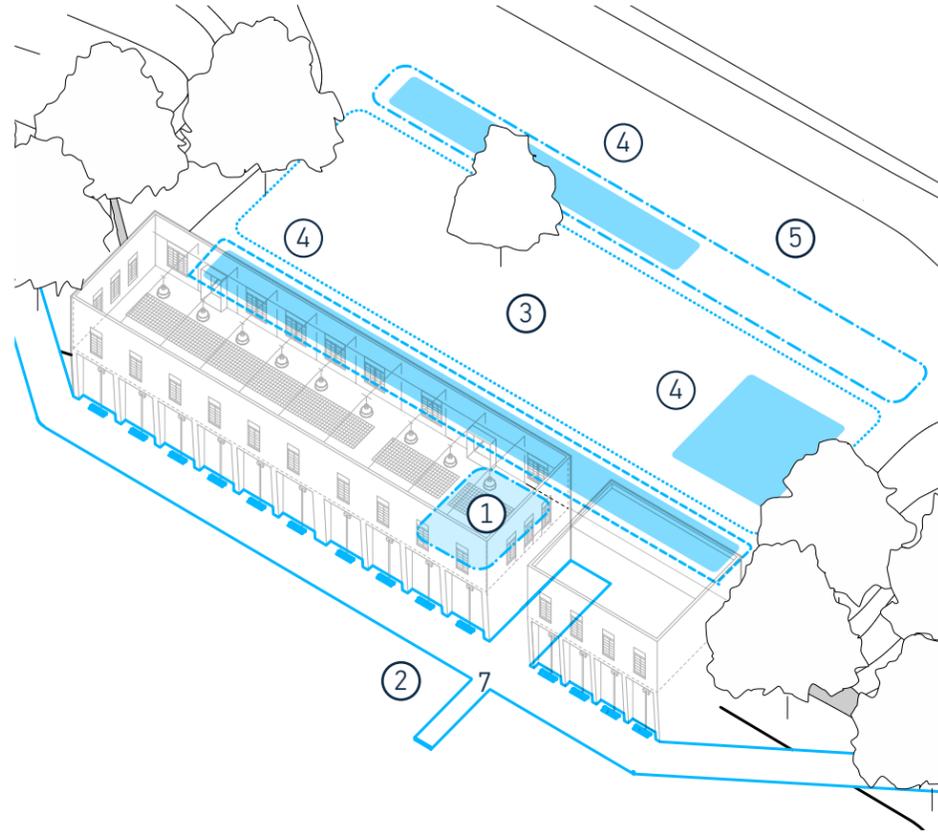


START IT UP

Make the Intake Building safe and inhabitable for small programs and events by updating the building for code-compliant occupancy.

1. Update egress requirements.
2. Replace the windows.
3. Prune trees and remove invasive plantings.
4. Cover openings in floor.
5. Upgrade lighting fixtures.
6. Power wash and clean facade.
7. Explore partnership models for design, construction and programming.
8. Curated site activations to engage community.

PHASE II

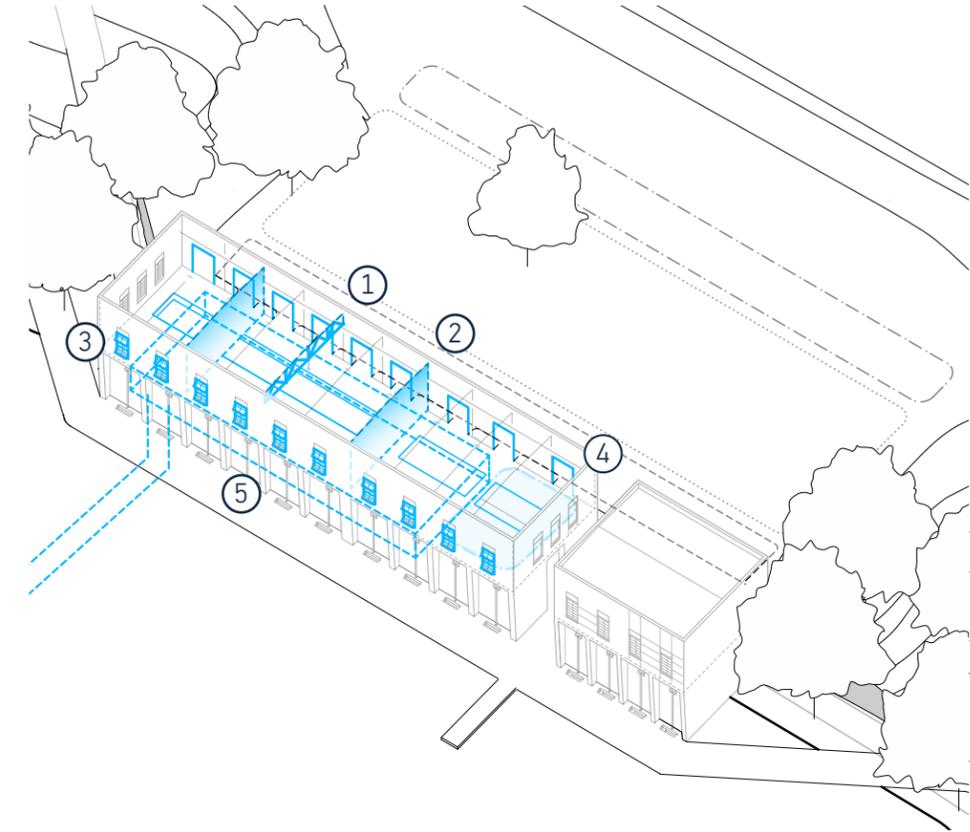


BRING IN THE AMENITIES

Expand the capability of the Intake Building with new programs such as a Welcome Cafe, lake dock, and amenity pavilion with a kitchen, office, and restrooms.

1. Serve food and drinks at the Welcome Cafe.
2. Provide a lake dock at the water's edge.
3. Diversify the landscape and ecology in the yard.
4. Determine a location for external amenities and support structures.
5. Add a design element to block noise.

PHASE III



RUN LIKE A MACHINE

Bring back core elements from the building's past. Reinstall a gantry crane to assist with flexibility. Repurpose the basement as an Eco-Cooling Machine.

1. Install a new gantry crane.
2. Increase the number of openings on the facade.
3. Upgrade to high-performance windows.
4. Tell its history with an Interpretive Kiosk.
5. Use the basement for lake cooling.



THANK YOU